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**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of claims:**

Claims 1-6. (cancelled)

1        7. (currently amended) A portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of  
2        organic and inorganic impurities, comprising:

3                a water pitcher having an open top, side and bottom walls enclosing a basin for holding still  
4        water, a spout in fluid communication with the basin for pouring water, and a removable lid mounted  
5        to the open top of the pitcher;

6                a moving water processing module including a bucket mounted inside the water pitcher  
7        having an open top in fluid communication with the open mouth of the pitcher and having side and  
8        bottom walls that enclose a volume whose capacity, when filled, accepts a batch of water to be  
9        treated that is poured all at once thereinto, a flow-through filter removably mounted to said bucket  
10       bottom wall that is fed with the water of each batch of water by action of gravity, said flow-through  
11       filter adapted including filter media that acts to remove non-living organic (carbon) and inorganic

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12 impurities as said water flows therethrough and to streamwise discharge that water into said basin;  
13 and  
14 a still water processing module including a UV line radiator ~~upstanding in, and centrally~~  
15 disposed within[[,]] the basin of the pitcher connected to a controller and control panel and user  
16 interface carried by the pitcher operative in response to UV treatment sequencing initiation control  
17 input after all of the water of a batch of water has been discharged streamwise from the moving  
18 water processing module and received by the basin of the pitcher which contains it batchwise as a  
19 body of still water to provide UV radiation that is omnipresent to every region of the body of still  
20 water contained batchwise by the basin with an intensity and a duration to neutralize living organism  
21 organic impurities at every region of the body of still water contained batchwise by the basin, and,  
22 thereafter, to provide a signal indication at the control panel and user interface that a batch of water  
23 purified of living and nonliving organic and inorganic pollutants is ready to be served through the  
24 spout of the pitcher.

1 8. (currently amended) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of  
2 organic and inorganic pollutants of claim 6 7, wherein the removable lid includes a fill opening  
3 therethrough, and a mechanism cooperative therewith to allow water to be received through said fill  
4 opening but to block direct viewing of UV radiation within said pitcher.

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1 9. (original) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of organic and  
2 inorganic pollutants of claim 8, wherein said mechanism includes a louvered disc valve.

1 10. (currently amended) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified  
2 of organic and inorganic pollutants of claim 7, wherein said flow-through filter media is an ion  
3 exchange and activated carbon flow-through filter.

1 11. (original) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of organic  
2 and inorganic pollutants of claim 7, further including a lid seat sensing switch mounted to the  
3 removable lid connected to said controller to disable the UV line radiator in the basin of the pitcher  
4 when the removable lid is off of the pitcher.

1 12. (original) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of organic  
2 and inorganic pollutants of claim 7, wherein the controller monitors the time since it was last  
3 actuated, and if a predetermined time elapses since it was last actuated, it provides a signal indication  
4 at the control panel and user interface to retreat the batch of water.

Claims 13-14. (cancelled)

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- 1 15. (new) The portable, refillable water dispenser serving batches of water purified of organic and
- 2 inorganic pollutants of claim 7, wherein said UV line radiator of said still water processing module
- 3 is upstanding in, and centrally disposed within, said basin.